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## Foreign Applications

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## Title

Method and apparatus for communicating in a distributed multiple access wireless communication system

## Preliminary Class

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## NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS OF NONPROVISIONAL APPLICATION

FILED UNDER 37 CFR 1.53(b)

*Filing Date Granted*

An application number and filing date have been accorded to this application. The item(s) indicated below, however, are missing. Applicant is given TWO MONTHS from the date of this Notice within which to file all required items and pay any fees required below to avoid abandonment. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

- The oath or declaration is missing.  
*A properly signed oath or declaration in compliance with 37 CFR 1.63, identifying the application by the above Application Number and Filing Date, is required.*
- To avoid abandonment, a late filing fee or oath or declaration surcharge as set forth in 37 CFR 1.16(e) of \$65 for a small entity in compliance with 37 CFR 1.27, must be submitted with the missing items identified in this letter.
- **The balance due by applicant is \$ 65.**

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**REQUEST FOR UPDATED FILING RECEIPT**

Dear Sir:

The above-referenced application was filed on November 2, 2000 without the Combined Declaration & Power of Attorney. Thus, the filing receipt issued is incomplete. The Declaration is now being submitted to the Office simultaneously herewith.

At this time, the applicant respectfully requests the Office to issue a new filing receipt which will reflect the full and complete particulars of the application, including inventorship information.

Issuance of a corrected filing receipt is respectfully requested.

Respectfully submitted,

Attorney for Applicant

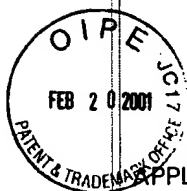
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**APPOINTMENT OF ASSOCIATE ATTORNEYS**

Dear Sir:

The undersigned Attorney for Applicant in the above identified application for Letters Patent, hereby appoints individually and collectively as my Associate Attorneys, to prosecute this application, to make alterations and amendments therein, to receive the patent, and to transact all business in the Patent & Trademark Office connected therewith:

Vangelis Economou, Reg. 32341

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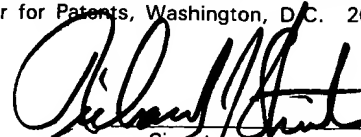
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**RESPONSE TO NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS OF APPLICATION  
& SUBMITTAL OF COMBINED DECLARATION & POWER OF ATTORNEY**

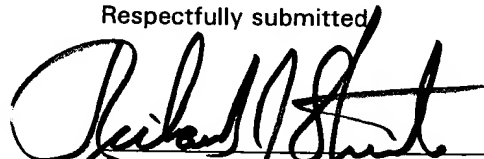
Dear Sir:

This is in response to the notice dated January 10, 2001 to file missing parts of application, a copy of which is attached.

Applicant submits herewith the original Combined Declaration & Power of Attorney, together with an Appointment of Associate Attorney.

Also enclosed is check in the amount of \$65, based on the small entity status of the applicant, to cover the government fee for late filing of the Combined Declaration & Power of Attorney. Should any additional fee be deemed necessary, the Commissioner is authorized to charge our Deposit Account No. 12-0400.

Respectfully submitted

  
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